

***RETIREE MEN'S ASSOCIATION OF GREENWICH, Inc. (RMA)  
invites you to attend its meeting, on Wednesday, Sept.19, 2012.  
First Presbyterian Church, Lafayette Pl., Greenwich.***

***Kelly Grimshaw***

***Medecins Sans Frontieres; Doctors Without Borders***



Attention must be paid. To those medical professionals who uproot their lives and place themselves in great personal danger, acting selflessly and anonymously to help the most distressed of their fellow man, in places far away and forsaken.

At our next meeting, we will meet Kelly Grimshaw, who will place a face on Doctors Without Borders, and better allow us to understand the world as it really is. Man at his best, and at his worst. Attention must be paid.

Known around the world as Medecins Sans Frontieres, and in the United States as Doctors Without Borders, DWB is an international medical humanitarian organization created by doctors and journalists in France in 1971. Today, DWB provides independent, impartial assistance in more than 60 countries to people whose survival is threatened by violence, neglect or catastrophe, primarily due to armed conflict, epidemics, malnutrition, exclusion from health care, or natural disasters. On any given day, more than 27,000 committed individuals (doctors, nurses, laboratory technicians, mental health professionals and others) representing dozens of nationalities are engaged in humanitarian action

DWB provides independent, impartial assistance to those most in need. Its work is based on the humanitarian principles of medical ethics and impartiality. It is committed to bringing quality medical care to people in crisis regardless of their race, religion or political affiliation. DWB operates independently of any political, military, or religious agendas. In 1999, DWB was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

Kelly Grimshaw joined DWB in 1999, establishing a tuberculosis program in Turkmenistan. She has since worked as a Nurse Practitioner and Project Coordinator in Sierra Leone, Indonesia and Zambia. She also has served as Medical Coordinator in Angola, Liberia, the Ivory Coast and Nigeria with respect to cholera, Marburg Hemorrhagic Fever, meningitis and measles outbreaks. She currently works in nursing education.

**RMA members and their guests should arrive by 9:45 AM for our full meeting. The general public should plan to arrive at 10:45 AM. Meetings are held at the First Presbyterian Church, Lafayette Place, Greenwich. No Charge and No Reservations are required. Questions about any of the above, call Bernard Schneider, 203-698-2558; [bgsesq@gmail.com](mailto:bgsesq@gmail.com).**